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Prefatory Note

The purpose of this publication is to assemble for easy reading and ready reference views and suggestions of men experienced in the management of railroads, or who have given attention to their problems. All observers of events realize that the American railroads have reached a new crisis in their development and that a temperate solution of their problems has a very close relation to the welfare of business and to the future prosperity of the country. In order that right action may be taken, it is necessary that the information on which this action is based shall be as complete as possible. "To do justice we must know the truth," is a sentiment ascribed to Mr. Clements, of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

This is a partial but representative collection of the expressions of railroad authorities and students for the reader who may be interested in them. Extracts have been taken from hundreds of pamphlets and magazine articles, scores of books and many legal papers. Even if these sources of information were at the reader's hand it would be a task for him to go through them.

As a rule, each extract has its date. It is important to bear this in mind because of the constantly changing statistics of transportation.



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